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APPLICATION SERIAL NO.:)	GROUP ART UNIT: 3617
09/708,309)	
FILED: 7 November 2000)	CONFIRMATION NO.: 1250
TITLE: FLOTATION SWIMSUIT)	DOCKET NO.: FPC3
AND METHOD FOR)	
CONSTRUCTION THEREOF)	

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action from Examiner Andrew D. Wright of Art Unit 3617, mailed 27 December 2004, Applicant submits this Response and Amendment. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified Application in view of the following remarks and amendments. Applicant respectfully asserts that the Application is in condition for allowance and respectfully solicits early and favorable consideration.

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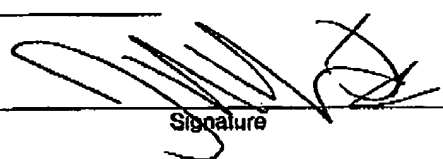
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